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Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary Federal Communications Commission Portals II, TW-A325, 445 Twelfth Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

> Petition for Rule Making Re:

Baird, Texas

Dear Ms. Salas:

Enclosed is an original and four (4) copies of a Petition for Rule Making for Baird, Texas.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Before the Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of)	
Amendment of 73.202 (b) Table of Allotments FM Broadcast Stations (Baird, TX))))	MM Docket No
To: John Karousos, Chief Allocations Branch Mass Media Bureau		

PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 1.401, Katherine Pyeatt respectfully petitions the FCC to institute a Rule Making proceeding to amend the FM Table of Allotments to add Channel 243C3 at **Baird**, Texas.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 243C3 to **Baird**, Texas, as that community's first competing FM service. **Baird** is an incorporated city with a population of 1,870 people as of January 1, 1998 according to the Texas State Data Center. **Baird** is the county seat of Callahan County which has a population in excess of 12,850 people. As of March 1999, 141 business establishments in **Baird** had been given a credit rating by Dun & Bradstreet. **Baird** has its own mayor, John Hardwick, its own fire department, post office, school system and a number of local churches.

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Attached hereto is a channel study confirming that Channel 243C3 can be allocated to **Baird**, Texas, consistent with the FCC's FM separation rules. See revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures, 90 FCC 2d 88 (1992).

Reference coordinates are:

32 35 06 N 99 21 56 W

Should this petition be granted, and Channel 243C3 be allotted to **Baird**, Texas Petitioner will apply for Channel 243C3, and after it is authorized, will promptly construct the new facility.

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MAPFM search of channel 243C3 (96.5 MHz), at N. 32 35 6, W. 99 21 56.

Searching Channel 243C3	(96.5 MHz):					
CALL CITY	ST CHN	CL S	DIST	SEPN	BRNG	CLEARANCE
ALC MINERAL WELLS	TX 240	C1 V	109.7	76.0	86.0ø	33.7
KYXS-F MINERAL WELLS	TX 240	C1 C	113.2	76.0	85.6ø	37.2
KORQ WINTERS	TX 241	C2 U	64.2	56.0	230.2ø	8.2
KORQ WINTERS	TX 241	C2 L	64.2	56.0	230.2ø	8.2
ALC EVANT	TX 243	A A	167.6	142.0	136.8ø	25.6
970915 ABILENE	TX 243	DA	37.6	0.0	246.9ø	37.6
KCSE STERLING CITY	TX 243	C2 U	187.6	177.0	239.9ø	10.6
KCSE STERLING CITY	TX 243	C2 C	177.4	177.0	231.9ø	0.4
KCSE STERLING CITY	TX 243	C2 L	177.4	177.0	231.9ø	0.4
ALC FLOWER MOUND	TX 244	CU	190.3	176.0	62.1ø	14.3
KMEO FLOWER MOUND	TX 244	C C	199.5	176.0	61.7ø	23.5
KMEO FLOWER MOUND	TX 244	CL	199.5	176.0	61.7ø	23.5
KMEO FLOWER MOUND	TX 244	CC	199.5	176.0	61.7ø	23.5
KMEO FLOWER MOUND	TX 244	C C	199.5	176.0	61.7ø	23.5
KXOX-F SWEETWATER	TX 244	A U	97.0	89.0	263.6ø	8.0
KXOX-F SWEETWATER	TX 244	AL	97.0	84.0	263.6ø	13.0
ALC BROWNWOOD	TX 245	C1 R	103.5	76.0	160.6ø	27.5
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ALC CROSS PLAINS	TX 245	C3 D	53.3	43.0	161.8ø	10.3
ALC HASKELL	TX 246	C1 R	76.5	76.0	326.6ø	0.5
KVRP-F HASKELL	TX 246	C1 L	76.5	76.0	326.6ø	0.5

